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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, September 4, 1888. 363

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
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- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked "On Hongkong Savings Bank Business" is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, September 1, 1888. 754

Intimations.

POLLINARIS WATER.
Per Case of 1 doz. Pints \$6.00
Do. " " " Quarts 8.00

ALLOWANCE FOR EMPTY BOTTLES WHEN RETURNED.

\$1.33 per 100 Pints.
2.66 " " Quarts.

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co., Sole Agents for HONGKONG AND CHINA.

PEDDER'S STREET, Hongkong, October 4, 1888. 1660

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

RESIDENTS in the Colony would be materially aided by the SENATE of the COLLEGE by forwarding to the ALDERMAN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

(1) Glass Jars (for museum purposes).
(2) Illustrated Papers and Books for the Student's Reading Room and Library.
Address to JAMES CANTLIE, Hon. Sec. to the College.
Hongkong, August 7, 1888. 1317

Intimations.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventeenth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS of the Society will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th October next, at Half-past Three o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year 1887, and for the half-year ending 30th June 1888.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 10th October, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
N. J. EDE, Secretary.

Hongkong, September 28, 1888. 1622

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Seventeenth Ordinary General Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Undersigned at 12 o'clock (noon) on SATURDAY, the 27th October instant.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 27th instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents,
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED,
Hongkong, October 8, 1888. 1689

BOARD AND RESIDENCE.

FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN.

A PRIVATE SITTING ROOM.

Mrs. KJELLER, Proprietress.

Hongkong, September 26, 1888. 1602

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary.
Hongkong, August 25, 1888. 1458

AN APPEAL.

THE SUPERIORESS of the ITALIAN CONVENT, Caine Road, begs most respectfully to APPEAL to the Residents of Hongkong and the Coast Ports for their kind PATRONAGE and SUPPORT. At present, owing to the daily increasing number of the Orphans, founding Children, and destitute Women, who already exceed 'Five Hundred,' the Superiorress finds herself in pressing need of further assistance. She has no fund at her disposal, the whole of the means available being earned by laborious Needle-work.

The Superiorress therefore desires to state that she will be pleased to receive Orders for Gentlemen's SHIRTS and PYJAMAS, Ladies' GOWN-TRIMMINGS and Children's DRESSES and UNDER-CLOTHING, EMBROIDERY in any form, and in Gold, Silk, Wool or Cotton, and REGIMENTAL EMBROIDERY.

MATERIALS SUPPLIED if required, and Persons living at a distance can send Orders by Letter. As the Terms are very moderate the Superiorress hopes to receive and merit a large share of Public patronage.

Hongkong, September 20, 1888. 1536

SHANGHAI, 21st Sept., 1888.

FROM the First November next, the SHANGHAI BUTCHERY will be prepared to SUPPLY BROWN, LARD in Bladder, Fresh and Pickled ENGLISH PORK SAUSAGES, &c.

Also,
BEEF in Joints and Corned, Black PUDDINGS, PORK and GAMES PIES.

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It cures the face and hands of all eruptions, itching, redness, freckles, sunburn, etc., and produces a beautiful and delicate complexion.

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Wholesale and Retail Agents for China: A. S. WATSON & Co., Shanghai. 964

NOTICE.

JEPY'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned have this Day been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of these Sanitary Compounds, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit Purchasers, at Wholesale Prices. Extra special terms for Shipping and large orders.

W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., Bank Buildings,
Hongkong, October 1, 1888. 1682

A RAMBLE THROUGH SOUTHERN FORMOSA.

By Mr. G. TAYLOR.
This Article, which has been reprinted from the China Review, contains one of the best Sketches of Formosa Life yet written. A few rough-sketched Woodcuts are included in the pamphlet.

May be had—Price, 8s.—at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, and Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, Hongkong; also, Mr. N. MOORE, Amoy.
Hongkong, March 3, 1888. 303

Business Notices.

LANE CRAWFORD & Co.

NEW AUTUMN AND WINTER STOCK.

GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT.

TAILORING.—The newest Materials for DRESS SUITS, MORNING SUITS and JACKET SUITS, Thin and Thick Materials for OVER and UNDER COATS, GOWN COATINGS. A Complete Selection of Materials for BUREAUX and KIDNEY TROUSERS, FANCY CAMELIER and WASHING VESTS, SHIRTS in all Colours and Substances, FANCY FLANNELS for SUITS, FANCY SHIRTS, CHECKING and TENNIS FLANNELS, NEW PATAMA CLOTH.

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SHIRTS, COLLARS and WHITESTANDS, newest Styles and Shapes. White and FANCY FLANNEL TENSIS SHIRTS, DRESSING GOWNS, TRAVELLING RUGS, CARDIGAN JACKETS and VESTS, White and FANCY BORDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, BRAVES, BELTS and GARTERS, MUFFLERS, TOWELS and BATH BLANKETS.

SCARVES and TIES, the Latest Shapes and Colours in made-up CRAVATS and FOLDING SCARVES, NEW WASHING SCARVES and TIES, SHIRTS, CRICKETING CAPS, and SHOES for WALKING, EVENING, DANCING, TENNIS, CRICKET, SHOOTING, RUGGERS, &c. LEATHER and CANVAS LEGGINGS, SILK, LEATHER and MOHAIR LACE.

HATS, New Shapes and Colours in L. O. & Co.'s special quality FELT, fitted with The Patent Perspiration-proof ventilated band, also PITH SHOOTING HATS, CLOTH TRAVELLING HATS and CAPS, TAM-O-SHANTERS, TENNIS HATS, CRICKETING CAPS, &c. New PUCCAS and HAT BANDS, GLASTONE BAGS, COUCHER BAGS, BOOK CASES, RUG STRAPS, HOLD-ALLS, &c., &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. 1683

Hongkong, October 1, 1888.

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TALL SILK HATS. FINE Black DIAGONAL and CORSEBOW for Dress Suits. Black, Blue and BROWN FANCY and CHECK DIAGONAL COATINGS.

FANCY and CHECK TWEED SUITINGS, in a great variety of Stripes, Checks, &c. CRICKETING FLANNELS, in Checks, Stripes and Plain. FRENCH PAID SHIRTINGS. UNMATCHABLE FLANNEL SHIRTINGS.

Winter, Medium and Summer UNDER VESTS and PANTS. READY-MADE ULSTERS in STOCK.

Robt. Lang & Co. 265

Hongkong, February 21, 1888.

J. MARINBURK, COLLEGE CHAMBERS.

BEGS to inform the Public that he has made GREAT REDUCTIONS IN PRICES OF FURNITURE AND UPHOLSTERING IN LATEST DESIGNS.

All the Work is made under My Supervision and I use the best Coverings, Plushes and Materials. Guarantee all the Work of best Workmanship.

Hongkong, May 22, 1888. 832

Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is one of the most comfortable and convenient Hotels in the place.

THE ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

THE HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

THE HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 15, 1888. 1612

FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY! SPECIAL CHEAP SALE! Further Reduced Prices.

IN Order to effect a Speedy Clearance of ROSE & Co.'s Surplus Stock (pending the Arrival of NEW AUTUMN GOODS from Europe), the Remaining Portion has been Re-marked at Further Reduced Prices, and will be offered on

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SPECIAL LINES. BLACK AND COLORED SILKS, MANTLES (Paris make), SHIRTINGS, TABLE LINENS, TOWELS, CURTAINS, AND ABOUT 1,000 REMNANTS.

Out-port Orders receive Special Attention.

The Hall & Holtz Co-operative Company, Limited, (Late ROSE & Co.), QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. 1683

Hongkong, October 6, 1888.

W. POWELL & Co.

FIRST DELIVERIES OF AUTUMN AND WINTER DRESS MATERIALS.

Over 300 PIECES to Select from. PRICE from 15 CENTS per Yard.

W. POWELL & Co. 1689

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, September 24, 1888.

NOW READY.

THE COMMERCIAL LAW AFFECTING CHINESE, with special reference to PARTNERSHIP REGISTRATION and BANKRUPTCY LAWS in HONGKONG.

Copies may be had at the China Mail Office, and at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Price, 75 cents.

BALL PROGRAMMES FOR SALE.

IN NEW SHAPES AND PATTERNS.

'CHINA MAIL' OFFICE, 2, WYNDHAM STREET.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

LADY DES VOEUX will in future be 'AT HOME' on MONDAYS, at Government House, instead of SATURDAYS, at Mountain Lodge, from 4 to 6 p.m. Hongkong, October 8, 1888. 1691

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

OLD or BROKEN NOTES will be EXCHANGED for NEW ONES on application at the Offices of the Corporation.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, August 30, 1888. 1445

TENDERS will be Received by the Undersigned on or before the 16th Instant, for the SUPPLY of GROUND-NUT OIL to H. M. NAVAL YARD.

Each Tender is to be accompanied by a sample or samples of Oil to be supplied.

W. H. LOBB, Naval Storekeeper.
H. M. Naval Yard, October 6th, 1888. 1681

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Frased by Mr. R. A. Proctor (Astronomer), many professional men, pupils who have PASSED EXAMINATIONS, who have rapidly learned Arabic and other difficult languages, &c. Lessons by post. Prospectus (English, French, or German) post free, from Prof. Loebnitz, 37, New Oxford Street, London, ENGLAND. 1723

Notice of Firm.

TAKASIMA COLLIERY AGENCY.

I HAVE THIS DAY RESIGNED CHARGE of this Agency.

H. J. H. TRIPP. 1680

Hongkong, October 6, 1888.

Notices to Consignees.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Kaituma, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 13th Instant, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 13th Instant will be subject to risk.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded, unless notice to the contrary be given before 10 o'clock To-day.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 8, 1888. 1692

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Wongsang, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN CO., Ltd., at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 14th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are also requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 20th Instant, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, October 8, 1888. 1685

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Lydia, Captain G. PETERSEN, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Free and Godown Co. and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 12th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 15th Inst. at 4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, October 5, 1888. 1683

To Let.

ROOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS' GODOWN in ICE HOUSE LANE, lately occupied by Messrs. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, from the 1st August.

Apply to DAVID SARSOON, SONS & Co. Managers.
Hongkong, July 12, 1888. 504

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. Quarts, \$20 per Case of 1 doz. Pints, \$21 " " 2 " Dubouche & Co. Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS and WHITE WINES.

Haxter's Celebrated 'Barley Bro' WHISKY, \$7½ per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

STAG HOTEL.

NOTICE TO HOTEL KEEPERS, CLUBS, &c.

FOR SALE: TWO ENGLISH BILLIARD TABLES, with BALLS, CUBS, MARKING-BOARDS, &c., Complete.

A Very Handsome Set of BAR FIXTURES, quite new, Built of Solid Teakwood, handsomely-carved and moulded, inlaid with PLATE GLASS MIRRORS.

Also, Several other PLATE GLASS MIRRORS; One TEAKWOOD BAR COUNTER, with Four PULL PUMPS, Pipes, &c.

Two Handsome STREET LAMPS, with strong FANCY METAL BRACKETS, suitable for HOTELS or other PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Also, SUNDRY other ARTICLES, suitable for HOTEL PURPOSES. Delivery on or after December, 1888.

The HOTEL is CLOSING, on account of the PROPERTY having been SOLD.

Apply J. COOK, Stag Hotel.
Hongkong, September 10, 1888. 1611

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHOW, HIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Nator, Capt. THOMPSON, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 10th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, October 8, 1888. 1651

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT).

The Company's Steamship Keng Beng, Capt. R. JONES, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 10th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Agents.
Hongkong, October 8, 1888. 1694

THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, VIA FOCHOOW.

(Calling at QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo for ADELAIDE, TASMANIA, NEW ZEALAND, &c.)

The British Steamship Tartar, Captain BAILEY, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 10th Instant, at 4 p.m.

Attention is directed to the Steamer's comfortable Saloon and State Rooms, affording excellent Accommodation for First-class Passengers.

Fare to SYDNEY or MELBOURNE, \$150.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Mak Akun, earth cooler, said that on the morning in question he was working near the scene of the fire, when he saw an Indian constable chasing after the deceased. He saw the constable seize the boy by the neck and pull him down and afterwards stamp on him. Witness also saw the constable

in the manifest. I need not say that these cases are not authorities in the sense of judicial decisions, but they bear out the contention of the defence, that as regards the opium there was no obligation on the part of the master to put it in the manifest, though as the seizure was

and then she hesitated—'They're some kind of lovely meat whiskers, but it isn't beefsteak, and I can't think.' She had heard Bella say. 'The mutton chop is so becoming to you, Algernon.'—*Judge.*

In China a rival in trade is not allowed to establish himself next door to a tradesman whom he aspires to put out, or even nearer than ten doors away in the same street. Mr Luh Jui-king, a barber of the sixteenth ward, Shanghai city, is now pro-

Joseph, Holmes, Bloomsbury Mansions, Bloomsbury Square, London, W.C., will send the prescription, free of charge, on receipt of a self addressed stamped envelope.

They offer the customary guarantee to the authorities, and also make vigorous representations as to the injustice being done to them, but their offers of guarantees and their complaints are alike unheeded. The effect of the new monopoly is irresistibly to attract to the pharmacy and apothecary

STATE OF WEATHER. δ blue sky, δ de-
 δ clouds, δ drizzling rain, δ fog, δ gloomy,
 δ lightning, δ overcast, δ passing showers,
 δ rain, δ snow, δ thunder, δ visibility,
 δ (wet).

barometer has risen and gradients very slight. The weather is overcast, comparatively warm, damp and close.

W. DOBIECKI,
Government Meteorologist,
Mongkhon Observatory, October 3.

BAROMETER, reduced to 82 degrees Fahrenheit and to the level of the sea in fathoms, tenths hundredths.

TEMPERATURE, in the shade in degrees Fahrenheit.

HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the direction of air saturated with moisture being

DIRECTION OF WIND, to two points.

FORCE OF WIND, according to Beaufort's

SCALE OF WEATHER, a blue sky, a few clouds, a drizzling rain, a fog, a gloomy day, lightning, a overcast, a passing shower, a rain, a snow, a thunder, a visibility, a (well).

Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.
PROGRAMME OF THE SIXTH RIFLE
MEETING
TO BE
HELD AT KOWLOON,
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30,
and
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10th, 1888.
AGGREGATE VALUE OF PRIZES.

Competitions open to all-comers.
1. ALL-COMERS.—1st Stage, distance 200 yards. 2nd Stage, distance 300 yards. No. of shots, seven at each. Entrance fee, 30 cents at each. Unlimited entries, but competitors not allowed to take more than one prize at each distance. 20 prizes, presented by the Association; aggregate value, \$122.00.
2. ANY RIFLE.—Distance, 800 yards. No. of shots, ten. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Two prizes.
3. ASSOCIATION.—For ANY RIFLE.—Distance, 900 yards. No. of shots, ten. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Two prizes.
4. GUNNERY PRIZE.—Presented.—Open to pupils of Hongkong Public schools under 16 years of age. Rifle, Rook Rifle under 10 Cal. Distance, about 150 yards. No. of Rounds, 7 and one sighting shot. Four prizes.
Competitions open to Members.
5. PRESIDENT'S.—Distance, 300 yards. No. of shots, seven. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Three prizes.
6. QUEEN'S 1ST STAGE.—Distance, 200, 500 and 600 yards. No. of shots, seven at each. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Three prizes.
7. QUEEN'S 2ND STAGE.—Distance, 500 and 600 yards. No. of shots, ten at 500 yards, fifteen at 600 yards. Two prizes.
8. QUEEN'S 3RD STAGE.—Distance, 800 and 900 yards. No. of shots, ten at each. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Two prizes.
9. LADIES'—Open to Lady Members or their nominees. Distance, 300 yards. No. of shots, seven. Entrance fee, none. Five prizes.
Aggregate open to all-comers.
10. VOLUNTEER AGGREGATE.—Restricted to efficient Volunteers, whose respective scores in the 'All-comers' make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Three prizes.
11. CIVIL SERVICE AGGREGATE.—Restricted to members of the Civil Service whose respective scores in the 'All-comers' make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Three prizes.
12. POLICE AGGREGATE.—Restricted to the members of the Police Force whose respective scores in the 'All-comers' make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Four prizes.
13. ALL-COMERS AGGREGATES.—For competitors whose respective scores in the two stages in the 'All-comers' make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Three prizes.
14. LONG RANGE AGGREGATES.—For competitors whose respective scores in the 'Any Rifle' and 'Association' make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Two prizes.
Aggregate open to Members.
15. FAIRWAY CUP.—Silver cup presented by the Civilian Members of the Hongkong Rifle Association. Open to the Officers of the 53rd Regt., to be won by the highest aggregate score made in the 1st Stage. Entrance fee, none.
16. VETERAN AGGREGATE.—Restricted to competitors who have never won a First or Second prize at any previous prize meeting in Hongkong, and whose respective scores at 200 and 500 yards in the Queen's 1st Stage make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Two prizes.
17. HANDBALL AGGREGATE.—For competitors whose respective scores (with monthly challenge cup points added) at 200 and 500 yards in the Queen's 1st Stage make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Two prizes.
18. QUEEN'S AGGREGATE.—For competitors whose respective scores in the 'Queens three stages' make up the highest aggregate. 1st Stage 200, 500 and 600 yards. 2nd Stage 500 and 600 yards. 3rd Stage 800 and 900 yards. 1st Prize, Silver Cup presented, value \$100. 9 money prizes.
In connection with the above, 3 Extra Money Prizes for aggregates in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd stages.
Also, A MATCH RIFLE with 300 rounds of ammunition, presented, for the competitor whose scores in 'All-comers', 'President's', and 'First' and 'Second Stages' make up the highest aggregate. Winner of Cup excluded from taking this prize. Entrance fee, \$2.00.
SWEEPSTAKES at Running Man and Vaulting Target. Open to all-comers during the meeting. Any Rifle.
Pools at 200, 500 yards and Snocor. Open to all-comers. M. H. Rice or Carbine.

Conditions etc.

1. To avoid delay, intending competitors are strongly advised to enter and obtain tickets for the various competitions before the date of the meeting. Application to be made to the Hon. Secretary, Hongkong Club.
2. Post entries will be accepted on the ground.
Sights. Paper or sliding wind-gauges on above are not allowed.
Persons wishing to join the H.R. Association should send their names, with that of proposer and second, to the Hon. Secretary not later than Thursday, noon, 8th November.
Entrance fee \$5.00. Ladies \$1.00.
The above programme subject to alteration. Programmes will be issued in the course of two or three weeks.

A SHELTON HOOPER,

Hon. Secretary,

HONGKONG CLUB.

Hongkong, October 6, 1888. 1632

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

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(FORMERLY ASSIGNED ATTENDANT AND LATELY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.)

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No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families.

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(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 66

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use

of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now

be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

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STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG,
COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID,
MARSEILLES, MALTA,
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AND LONDON:
ALSO,
MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND
AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERMAN GULF PORTS, TRIESTE, RABAT, BURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

SPECIAL ONLY LAUNDED AT PLYMOUTH.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship

ROKHARA, Captain S. BARNES, with

Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched

from this office for BOMBAY, on WEDNES-

DAY, 10th October, at Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until

4 p.m.

Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office

until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing.

Silk and Valuables for Europe will be

transhipped at Colombo; but Tea and

General Cargo at Bombay, arriving one week

later than by the direct route via Colombo.

For further Particulars regarding

FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVI-

IGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are

required to be declared prior to shipment.

Shippers are particularly requested to

note the terms and conditions of the Com-

pany's Black Bills of Lading.

Passengers desirous of insuring their bag-

gage can do so on application at the Com-

pany's Office.

E. L. WOODIN,

Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, September 28, 1888. 1620

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS

TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE

UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE,

VIA

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

AND OTHER CONNECTING

RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.

THE British Steamship ALBANY,

2,270 Tons Register, PORTER, Com-

mander, will be despatched for VANCOU-

VER, B.C., via KOBE and YOKOHAMA,

on THURSDAY, the 25th instant, at 3 p.m.

She is followed by the S.S. BATAVIA,

on the 15th November, and S.S. PAR-

THIA, on the 13th December.

Connection will be made at Yokohama

with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

Ports, and at Vancouver with San Fran-

cisco, by the regular Steamers of the

PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY and

other Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-

land, France, and Germany by all trans-

-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

First-class Fares granted as follows:—

To Vancouver & Victoria, Mex. \$160.00

To San Francisco .. 175.00

To all common points in Can- 230.00

ada and the United States

To Liverpool .. 300.00

To London .. 365.00

To other European points at proportion-

ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to

Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service

and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese

Customs, to be obtained on application.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo

destined to ports in the United States

should be sent to the Company's Office,

addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District

Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C.

Freight will be received on board until

4 p.m. on the 24th October.

All Parcels must be sent to our Office

and should be marked to address in full;

and the same will be received by us until

5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

For information as to Passage or Freight,

apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, October 6, 1888. 1634

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP

COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA

OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING

Mails.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ,
PORT SAID,

MEDITERRANEAN AND
MARSHALLS, AND PORTS
OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA;

ALSO
LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX,
DUNKIRK AND ANTWERP.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 17th October,

at Noon, the Company's Steam-

ship AVA, Commandant DE FANCOU,

with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,

and CARGO, will leave this Port for the

principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until

Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4

p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on

the 16th October, 1888. (Parcels are not

to be sent on board; they must be left at

the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

quired.

For further particulars, apply at the

Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent.

Hongkong, September 28, 1888. 1617

Occidental & Oriental Steam-

Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS

TO JAPAN, THE UNITED

STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND

SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

VIA

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

AND

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING

STEAMERS.

THE Steamship OCEANIC will be

despatched for San Francisco, via

Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th

October, at 3 p.m.

Connection being made at Yokohama,

with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

ports.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to

address in full; and same will be received

at the Company's Office, until 3 p.m. the

day previous to sailing.

First-class Fares granted as follows:—

To San Francisco .. \$200.00

To San Francisco and return, } 350.00

available for 6 months

To Liverpool .. 325.00

To London .. 330.00

To other European points at proportion-

ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to

Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service

and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be

obtained on application.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-

turning at San Francisco for China or

Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be

allowed a discount of 10%. This allowance

does not apply to through fares from China

and Japan to Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo

destined to ports beyond San Francisco,

in the United States, should be sent to the

Company's Office, addressed to the Col-

lector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight

or Passage, apply to the Agency of the

Company, No. 50, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN,

Agent.

Hongkong, September 27, 1888. 1610

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN,

SUEZ, PORT SAID,

BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP,

BREMEN & HAMBURG,

PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK

SEA & BALTIC PORTS;

ALSO,

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON,

BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS,

GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN

PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL

AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS

AND LOGGERS.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills

of Lading for the principal places in

RUSSIA.

ON SUNDAY, the 28th day of October,

1888, 10 a.m., at the Company's

Steamship VEGE, Capt. H. SUMER,

with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE

and CARGO will leave this port as above,

calling at GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till

Noon, Cargo will be received on board

until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3

p.m. on the 27th October a.e. (Parcels

are not to be sent on board; they must be

left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and

Value of Packages are required.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation

and carries a Doctor and Stewards.

For further Particulars, apply to

MELOHERS & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, October 1, 1888. 1537

Not Responsible for Debts.